My Carrier

This guide provides you with the information you need to get started. For more information and additional support, please visit http://www.uscellular.com/support/index.html where you can:

- Get support for your device via the **Support** tab.
- Register to check your minutes, pay your bill, upgrade your phone, and change your rate plan.
- Review your device's User Manual and troubleshooting FAQs.

NOTE: Devices and software are constantly evolving—the screen images and icons you see here are for reference only.

NOTE: This device should only be used with firmware versions that have been approved for use by US Cellular and the device manufacturer. If unauthorized firmware is placed on the device it will not function.

Device Functions

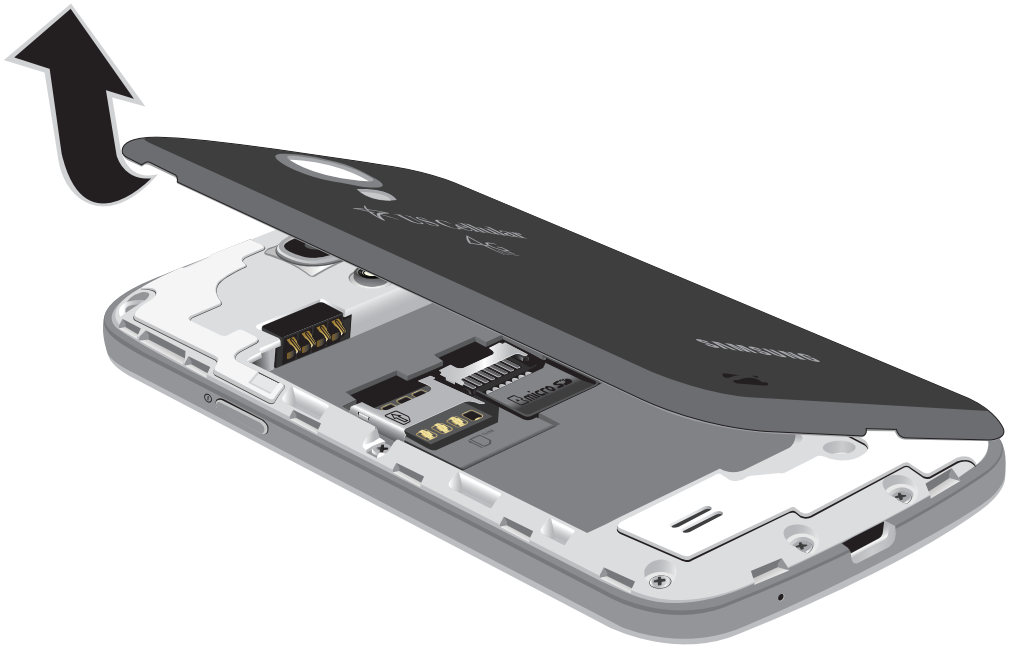
*Menu and Back illuminates when navigating through the device.

Camera lens
Flash
U.S. Cellular
4G LTE
GALAXY S 4 mini
Speaker
Charging port

Setting Up Your Device

Step 1. Remove the Back Cover

- Place your fingernail in the groove and firmly “pop” the cover off the device.

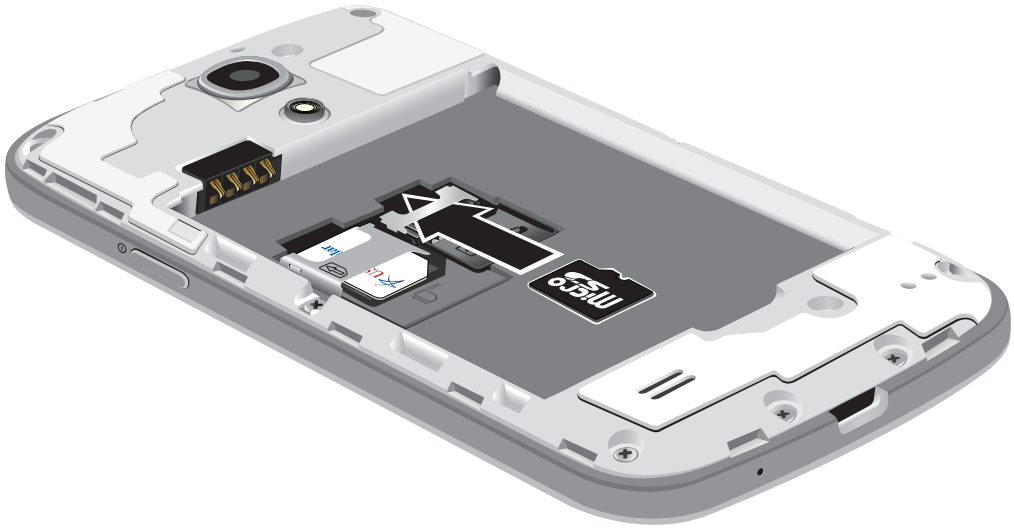


Step 2. Install the SIM Card

- Slide the SIM card into the SIM card slot.

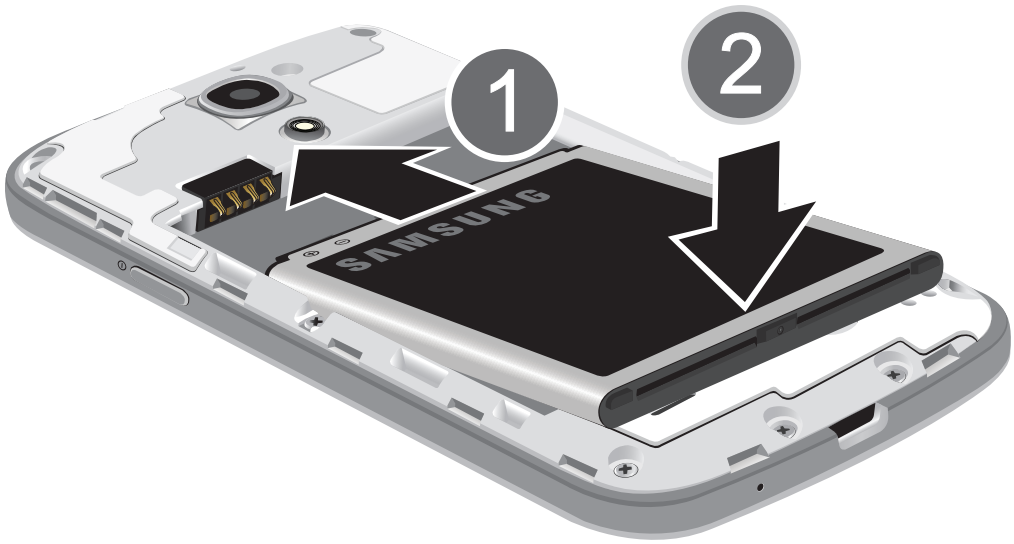
Step 3. Install the optional microSD card

- Slide the memory card into the card slot.



Step 4. Insert the Battery

- Insert the battery, making sure to align the gold contacts. Press down gently to secure the battery.



Step 5. Replace the Back Cover

- Position the battery cover over the battery compartment and press down firmly along the edges of the cover.

Step 6. Charging the Phone

- Before turning on your phone, charge it fully. Be sure to use the charger that came with the device.

WARNING: Please use only an approved charging accessory to charge your device. Improper handling of the charging port, as well as the use of an incompatible charger, may cause damage to your device and void the warranty.

NOTE: This device requires a SIM card. Please insert the SIM card included in the package prior to turning on the device. This SIM card will only work with this device. Once the SIM card has been inserted, do not remove!

Make sure that the card's gold contacts face into the device and that the upper-left angled corner of the card is positioned as shown.

If your SIM card is ever separated from the device or damaged, your device will not function. If you experience any issues with your device, contact Customer Service at 888-944-9400 (or dialing 611 on Your U.S. Cellular® handset) or visit your nearest U.S. Cellular retail location.

Turning Your Phone On and Off

1. To turn **ON**, press and hold the **Power/Lock** key.
2. To turn **OFF**, press and hold **Power/Lock** key and follow the prompts.

Locking and Unlocking Screen

1. To **Lock,** press the **Power/Lock** key.
2. To **Unlock,** press the **Power/Lock** key then swipe your finger across the screen.

Initial Device Configuration

1. Select a language and tap **Next** or tap **Accessibility** if you are visually impaired or hard of hearing.
2. Tap the **ON/OFF slider** to activate **Wi-Fi** and tap **Next**.
3. Set **Date and Time** and tap **Next**.
4. At the **Samsung account** screen, select **Create new account**, **Sign in** or tap **Skip**.
5. At the **Got Google?** screen, select **Yes** to log into Google™ account or **No** to continue.
6. At the **Make it Google** screen, select either **Get an account** or **Not now** to continue.
7. Select **Google & location** services and tap **Next**.
8. Enter a **First** and **Last** name and tap **Next**.
9. At the **Dropbox** screen, select **Create account**, **Sign in**, **Disclaimer**, or tap **Skip**.
10. At the **Learn about key features** screen, tap the **ON/OFF slider** to activate feature and tap **Next**.
11. Accept or rename the current device and tap **Finish**.

Calling Features

Making a Call

1. From the Home screen, tap (**Phone**).
2. Enter the number you wish to call and tap to place a call.

- If you make a mistake while dialing, tap to clear the last digit. Touch and hold to clear the entire sequence.

Ending a Call

- From within an active call, tap (**End Call**).

Answering a Call

- At the incoming call screen, touch and slide (**Answer**) in any direction to answer the call.

Rejecting a Call

- At the incoming call screen, touch and slide (**Reject**) in any direction to route the call to your voicemail system.

Access and Set Up Voice Mail

1. From the Home screen, tap (**Phone**) and then touch and hold until the device dials your voicemail.
2. Follow the prompts in the new user tutorial to set up your mail box.

Contacts

Creating a New Contact

1. From the Home screen, tap (**Phone**).
2. Enter a phone number using the on-screen dialpad.
3. Tap **Add to Contacts** → **Create contact** or select the Contact entry from the on-screen list.
4. Select **OK** (to save new contact in your "my device contacts" area or **Add new account** to select a different destination type (**Samsung account**, **Google**, or **Microsoft Exchange ActiveSync**) (depending on where you want to save the new contact information).
5. Enter the desired information into the appropriate fields.
6. Tap **Save** to store the new entry.

Deleting an Existing Contact

1. From the Home screen, tap (**Contacts**).
2. Touch and hold a contact name from the list and select **Delete** → **OK**.

Messaging

Create and Send a Message

1. From the Home screen, tap (**Messaging**) → (**Compose**).
2. Enter either the recipient's phone number or e-mail address.

   NOTE: If adding a recipient from among Logs, Contacts, or Group, tap the contact to place a checkmark alongside the entry and tap **Done**. The contact will be placed in the recipient field.
3. Tap the **Enter message** field and use the on-screen keypad to enter a message.
4. Add more recipients by tapping the recipient field.
5. Tap (**Attach**) to insert various file types to your message (such as images, videos, or audio).
6. Select the file and complete the on-screen instructions to insert it to the current message.
7. Review your message and tap **Send**.

Setting Up Your Email Accounts

Check email on the go with popular Internet-based email accounts, including Yahoo!® Mail, Hotmail®, etc..

1. From the Home screen, tap (**Apps**) → (**Email**).
2. Enter your email address and password into the appropriate fields and tap **Next**.
3. At the Account options screen, select the frequency which the device should check for new email on the server and tap **Next**.
4. At the Set up email screen, name the account and enter a screen name to identify yourself on this account.
5. Tap **Done** to store the new account.

Setting Up Your Gmail Account

The first time you launch Gmail, your device will prompt you to set up an account.

1. From the Home screen, touch (**Apps**) → (**Gmail**).
2. Follow the prompts to sign in, or create a new account.

NOTE: If your Gmail account was configured during initial device configuration and you would like to add an additional account, tap (**Gmail**) → (**Menu**) → **Settings** → **ADD ACCOUNT**.

Customize Your Phone

Adding Apps and Widgets

1. Tap and hold the Home screen to display the Home screen menu.
2. Tap **Apps and widgets** and tap the **Apps** or **Widget** tab.
3. Touch and hold the app or widget to move it to the home screen.

NOTE: To remove a widget from a Home screen, tap and hold the widget and drag it to the top trash can icon to remove.

Changing Wallpaper

1. Tap and hold the Home screen to display the Home screen menu.
2. Tap **Set wallpaper**.
3. Tap **Home screen**, **Lock screen** or **Home and lock screens**.

Ringtones

1. From the Home screen, tap (**Menu**) → **Settings** → **My Device** tab → **Sound.**
2. Tap the feature you would like to customize.

Volume

- To set the ringtone volume, from the Home screen press the Volume key up or down.
- During a call, press the Volume key up or down to set the in-call volume.

Connections

Connecting to Bluetooth

1. From the Home screen, tap (**Menu**) → **Settings** → **Connections** tab → **Bluetooth**.
2. In a single motion touch and slide the **Bluetooth** slider to the right to turn it on (ON).
3. Tap **Scan**. Review the list of discovered in-range Bluetooth® devices.
4. Tap a device from the list to initiate pairing.
5. Enter the passkey/PIN code, if needed, and tap **OK**.
6. The external device will then have to also accept the connection and enter your device's PIN code. Once successfully paired to an external device, appears within the Status area.

Connecting to Wi-Fi

1. From the Home screen, tap (**Menu**) → **Settings** → **Connections** tab → **Wi-Fi**.
2. In a single motion touch and slide the **Wi-Fi** slider to the right to turn it on (ON).
3. Tap **Scan** to display a list of Wi-Fi networks in-range.
4. Tap a network to connect and enter the password if prompted. When connected you will see in the status bar.

Apps & More

Installing Apps

Over one million apps available to download from Google Play™.

1. From the Home screen, tap (**Play Store**).
2. If prompted, follow the on-screen prompts to add an existing Google account.

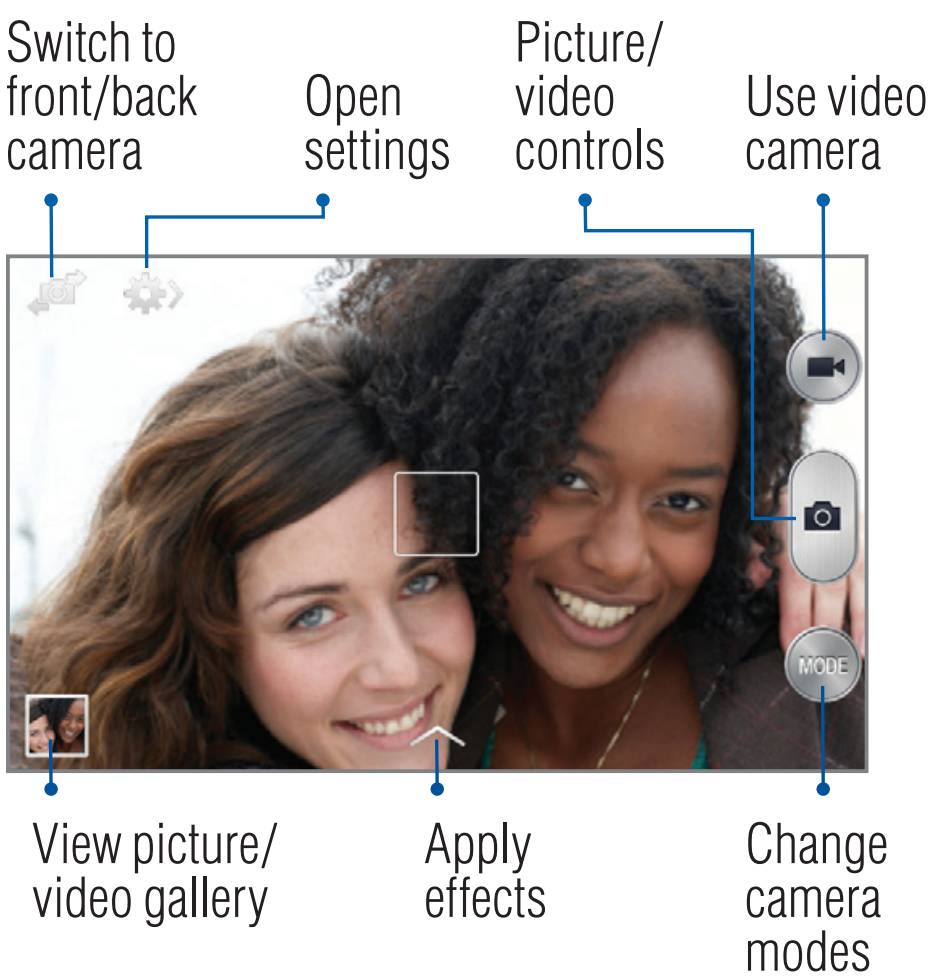
Samsung Smart Switch

Easily move over your photos, videos, music, apps and more with Samsung Smart Switch™. Get started today at www.samsungsmartswitch.com

Camera and Camcorder

The Samsung Galaxy S® 4 mini gives you the magic of professional digital photography. With stunning photographic output and a range of exceptionally rich professional shooting modes, editing features and various apps. Going pro has never been this easy or this fun.

- From the Home screen, tap (**Camera**).



Your Navigator Deluxe

With Your Navigator Deluxe, get all of the features of an advanced car navigation system on your mobile phone with voice turn-by-turn navigation enabled by GPS. Search for any destination including gas stations, ATMs, restaurants, and more. Get detailed maps of any location.

1. In order to use Your Navigator Deluxe, you must first turn on your phones location and GPS settings.
   - From the Home screen, press (**Menu**) and then tap **Settings** → **Location services**.
   - Tap the box to activate the **Use GPS satelites**.
2. From the applications menu select the Your Navigator Deluxe application.

From the Your Navigator Deluxe Home screen you can select

- “Drive To” for turn by turn direction to an address, airport, contacts addresses and more
- “Places” to search for nearby businesses, the cheapest gas prices and more
- “Maps & Traffic” to see where you currently are located on a map and what traffic is in the area

Internet

Take the Internet on the go. You can reach the latest news, get the weather and follow your stocks.

- From the Home screen, tap (**Internet**).

To enter a URL:

You can access a website quickly by entering the URL. Websites are optimized for viewing on your device.

- From the homepage tap the URL field at the top of the screen, enter the URL and tap Go.

To add a new window:

1. From your browser window, tap (**Windows**) → (**New window**). A new browser window displays.

   NOTE: The number of currently open windows is displayed at the bottom of the Windows screen.

2. Scroll across the screen to view the currently active windows and tap an entry to launch the selected Internet window.

S Beam

Share large video files, photos, documents and music with S Beam by touching two compatilble device back-to-back.

1. From the Home screen, press (**Menu**) and then tap **Settings** → **Connections** tab → **S Beam.**
2. Touch and slide the S Beam slider to the right to turn it on.

Lock Screen

This menu contains features that allows you to configure the device's security parameters.

To secure data and limit phone access, set the phone to require a screen unlock pattern each time you turn on the device, or every time the phone wakes up from sleep mode (when the screen automatically turns off).

- From the Home screen, press (**Menu**) and then tap **Settings** → **My device** tab → **Lock screen** → **Screen lock.**

The Screen lock menu allows to choose from a variety of locking features.

SIM Card Limited Warranty

Subject to the exclusions contained below, United States Cellular Corporation ("U.S. Cellular®") warrants to the original purchaser ("You" or "Your") of the handset with which the SIM card was provided that the SIM card will be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one (1) year from the date you purchased the handset (the "Warranty Period").

This warranty is not transferable. Should a defect appear during the Warranty Period, U.S. Cellular will send a replacement SIM card to Your address within the United States without charge provided that you request the replacement SIM card during or within thirty (30) days following the Warranty Period by calling U.S. Cellular Customer Service at 888-944-9400 (or dialing 611 on your U.S. Cellular handset) or by visiting a U.S. Cellular retail store.

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